

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION: ANDREW SLARK ET AL.
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EXAMINER: PATRICK DENNIS NILAND
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AMENDMENT per 35 USC 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action with a mailing date of 12 May 2009.

Claims 22 to 37 are pending in the application.

Claims 22 to 34 are allowed.

Claims 35 to 37 are objected to and rejected under 35 USC 112, second paragraph.

Claims 35 to 37 are canceled.

Claim 22 is amended to incorporate the subject matter of claims 35 to 37 and obviate the rejection. (Claim 36 contained the same subject matter as claim 26.)

Applicants believe the application is now in condition for allowance and request the amendment be entered and an allowance granted.

Respectfully submitted,
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